Special Syllabi for Schools

1034. SHRI CHITTA BASU: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether attempts are being made to introduce an alternative special syllabi in Primary and Secondary schools in certain States of Northern region; and

(b) if so, the reaction of the Government thereto?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Trivandrum as a Model Station

1035. SHRI A CHARLES: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the amount spent so far for making the Trivandrum Central Station as a model station; and

(b) the target date by which the modernisation work is likely to be completed?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MALLIKARJUN): (a) Rs. 104.15 lakh upto January, 1992.

(b) Works are expected to be completed by December , 1992.

[*Translation*]

Encouragement of Official Language in Medical and Technological Education

1036. SHRI RAM NARAIN BERWA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to encourage the use of official language Hindi in the medical and technological education in all Universities gradually;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the arrangements being made for Hindi translation of text books and reference books of medical and technology for implementing the policy?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c). In pursuance of the directive of the Parliament a programme to produce suitable standard books in Hindi and Regional Languages was launched in 1968 to facilitate the changeover to Indian languages as the medium of instruction at the University level and to make available text books and reference books in Science and Technology, medicine, engineering and agriculture. Under this Scheme Financial Assistance is provided to the concerned state Governments and University Cells.

The Commission for Scientific and Technological Terminology (CSTT), a subordinate office of the Ministry of Human Resource Development has been entrusted with the production of books in Medicine, Engineering and Agriculture, as also to monitor the activities of book production by State Governments and University Cells.

Moreover, the CSTT has been engaged in Evolution/Updation of technical terms, preparation of Definitional Dictionaries, Orientation Training to University/College Teachers and Computerisation of Terminology.

Leprosy Control

1037. SHRI RAJESH KUMAR:
SHRIMATI SHEELA GAUTAM:
Will the Minister of HUMAN AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the districts which are identified as high disease prone and low disease prone district under National Leprosy Control Programme for multi-medicinal treatment;

(b) the districts where treatment for leprosy is available and the names of the centres in each such districts where this treatment is available; and

(c) whether the concerned State Governments have extended desirable cooperation in making available the necessary infrastructural facilities therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI D.K. THARADEVI SIDDHARTHA): (a) Names of the districts identified as high disease prone (endemic) and low disease prone (moderately endemic) under NLEP are given in enclosed statement I & II respectively.

(b) Under the National Leprosy Eradication Programme treatment with dapsone therapy for leprosy patients is available through the length and breadth of the country. Multi Drug Treatment programme coverage is being extended in a phased manner. So far MDT has been sanctioned for 201 endemic districts. Out of these, 66 districts are getting treatment through Primary Health Care set up (Modified MDT).

(c) Yes, Sir. However due to financial constraints some of the State have not been able to provide adequate infrastructure.

STATEMENT - I

List of Districts covered under MDT Scheme (Endemic)
(I) under the regular pattern:

Andhra Pradesh (23)	1.	Ananthapur
	2.	Guntur
	3.	Rangareddy
	4.	Mahaboobnagar
	5.	Nizamabad
	6.	Khamman
	7.	Srikakulam
	8.	Vizianagram
	9.	Vishakhapatnam
	10.	Chittor
	11.	East Godavari
	12.	Krishna

	13.	Warangal
	14.	Nalgonda
	15.	Cuddapah
	16.	West Godavari
	17.	Karimnagar
	18.	Medak
	19.	Nellore
	20.	Kurnool
	21.	Prakasam
	22.	Adilabad
	23.	Hyderabad
Assam (1)	24.	Karbi Anglong
Bihar (4)	25.	Deogarh
	26.	Singhbbum
	27.	Bhagalpur
	28.	Rohtas
Gujarat (6)	29.	Dangs
	30.	Panchmahal (Godhra)
	31.	Surat
	32.	Bharuch
	33.	Baroda
	34.	Valsad
Karnataka (8)	35.	Belgaum
	36.	Dharwad

	37.	Bidar
	38.	Gulbarga
	39.	Raichur
	40.	Bijapur
	41.	Bellary
	42.	Mysore
Kerala (5)	43.	Alleppey
	44.	Trichur
	45.	Trivandrum
	46.	Quilon
	47.	Palghat
Madhya Pradesh (11)	48.	Durg
	49.	Rajnandgaon
	50.	Raigarh
	51.	Bilaspur
	52.	Bastar
	53.	Raipur
	54.	Bhind
	55.	Gwalior
	56.	Rewa
	57.	Ujjain
	58.	Sagar
Maharashtra (19)	59.	Wardha
	60.	Amravati

	61.	Chandrapur
	62.	Nanded
	63.	Usmanabad
	64.	Yavatimal
	65.	Latur
	66.	Gadchiroli
	67.	Bhandara
	68.	Nagpur
	69.	Thane
	70.	Solapur
	71.	Satara
	72.	Parbhani
	73.	Raigad
	74.	Akola
	75.	Buldhana
	76.	Beed
	77.	Bombay
Nagaland (1)	78.	Mon
Orissa (9)	79.	Ganjam
	80.	Puri
	81.	Cuttack
	82.	Dhenkanal
	83.	Mayurbhanj
	84.	Balasore

	85.	Sambhalpur
	86.	Bolangir
	87.	Koraput
Tamil Nadu (20)	88.	North Arcot
	89.	Chingalpattu
	90.	Salem
	91.	P.M.R. Sivaganga
	92.	Kamarajar
	93.	Ramanathapuram
	94.	Dharmapuri
	95.	Thanjavur
	96.	Periyar
	97.	Dindigul
	98.	Madurai
	99.	South Arcot
	100.	Pudukottai
	101.	Trichirapalli
	102.	Nellai Kattam Bomman
	103.	V.D. Chidambaranar
	104.	Coimbatore
	105.	Nilgiris
	106.	Kanyakumari
	107.	Madras
Uttar Pradesh (18)	108.	Varanasi

	109.	Barabanki
	110.	Dehra Dun
	111.	Faizabad'
	112.	Sitapur
	113.	Kheri
	114.	Kanpur (Urban)
	115.	Kanpur (Dehat)
	116.	Uttar Kashi
	117.	Pilibhit
	118.	Bahraich
	119.	Deoria
	120.	Hardoi
	121.	Rae Bareilly
	122.	Azamgarh
	123.	Ballia
	124.	Gazipur
	125.	Mirzapur
West Bengal (5)	126.	Purulia
	127.	Bankura
	128.	Burdwan
	129.	Midnapore
	130.	Birbhum
Lakshadweep (1)	131.	Lakshdweep
Pondicherry (3)	132.	Pondicherry

	133.	Karaikal (Pondicherry)
	134.	Yanam (Pondicherry)
Manipur (1)	135.	Bishnupur (Mani pur)

II. Districts covered under Modified MDT Scheme (endemic

Arunachal Pradesh (4)	136.	Tirap
	137.	West Siang
	138.	East Siang
	139.	Towang
Bihar (13)	140.	Dhanbad
	141.	Siwan
	142.	Patna
	143.	Aurangabad
	144.	Nawadah
	145.	Bhojpur
	146.	Purnia
	147.	Katihar
	148.	Muzaffarpur
	149.	Sitamarhi
	150.	Darbhanga
	151.	West Champaran
	152.	S. Parganas
Kerala (5)	153.	Kasargod
	154.	Ernakulam
	155.	Cannanore

	156.	Malapuram
	157.	Kozhikode
Madhya Pradesh (11)	158.	Bhopal
	159.	Indore
	160.	Khandwa
	161.	Satna
	162.	Datia
	163.	Tikamgarh
	164.	Chattarpur
	165.	Jabalpur
	166.	Balaghat
	167.	Shahdol
	168.	Surguja
Manipur (2)	169.	Zaminghlung
	170.	Chandel
Orissa (4)	171.	Phulbani
	172.	Sundargarh
	173.	Kalahandi
	174.	Keonjhar
A & N Islands (1)	175.	Andaman
Sikkim (2)	176.	East District
	177.	South District
Uttar Pradesh (14)	178.	Gorakhpur
	179.	Lucknow
	180.	Unnao

	181.	Rampur
	182.	Badaun
	183.	Shahjahanpur
	184.	Etawah
	185.	Fatehpur
	186.	Banda
	187.	Hamipur
	188.	Jalaun
	189.	Basti
	190.	Gonda
	191.	Bareilly
West Bengal (10)	192.	Cooch Behar
	193.	Howrah
	194.	Hooghly
	195.	Jalpaiguri
	196.	Malda
	197.	24 Parganas (South)
	198.	Nadia
	199.	24 Parganas (North)
	200.	West Dinajpur
	201.	Murshidabad.

STATEMENT -II

List of Moderatel andemic districts i.e. low diseases prone

Bihar	1.	Gaya
	2.	Hazari Bagh

	3.	Giridinh
	4.	Ranchi
	5.	Monghyr
	6.	Begusarai
	7.	East Champaran'
	8.	Madhubani
	9.	Samastipur
	10.	Nalanda
	11.	Palamu
	12.	Saheras
	13.	Saren
	14.	Gopalganj
Daman & Diu	15.	Daman
Kamataka	16.	Bangalore (U[illegible]
	17.	Kolar
	18.	Mandya
	19.	D. Kannada
Kerala	20.	Pathanamthitta'
	21.	Kottayam
	22.	Wyanad
	23.	Idukki
Madhya Pradesh	24.	Hoshangabad
	25.	Ratlam
	26.	Dhar

	27.	Jhbua
	28.	Barwani
	29.	Guna
	30.	Damoh
	31.	Chindwara
	32.	Mandla
	33.	Sidhi
	34.	Betul
	35.	Rajgarh
	36.	Dewas
	37.	Shajapur'
	38.	Shivpuri
	39.	Morena
	40.	Seoni
	41.	Panna
	42.	Narsingpur
Maharashtra	43.	Jalna
	44.	Jalgaon
	45.	Kolhapur
	46.	Sangli
	47.	Ratnagiri
	48.	Dhula
	49.	Ahmednagar
	50.	Pune

	51.	Aurangabad
Uttar Pradesh	52.	Farukkabad
	53.	Jhansi
	54.	Partapgarh
	55.	Sultanpur
	56.	Chamoli
	57.	Nainital
	58.	Moradabad
	59.	Jaunpur
	60.	Aligarh
	61.	Allahabad
	62.	Lalitpur
	63.	Tehri Garhwal
	64.	Pithoragarh
West Bengal	65.	Calcutta
	66.	Darjeeling
Himachal Pradesh	67.	Chamba
	68.	Shimla
	69.	Sirmaur
Rajasthan	70.	Ajmer
	71.	Bharatpur
	72.	GangaNagar
	73.	Jaipur
	74.	Jodhpur

75. S. Madhopur

76. Sirohi

77. Udaipur.

[*English*]

Coach Factory in Allahabad

1038. SHRI SHASHI PRAKASH: will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the reasons for dropping the proposal for setting up of a railway coach factory in Chail area of district Allahabad;

(b) whether the proposal for setting up of this factory is likely to be revived;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MALLIKARJUN): (a) There was no proposal to set up a coach factory in Chail area of District Allahabad at any stage.

(b) to (d). Do not arise.

Wildlife Sanctuaries and National Parks

1039. SHRI ASHOK ANANDRAO DESHMUKH: Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) the total forest area declared as Wild Life Sanctuaries and National Parks Statewise; and

(b) the schemes for protection, preservation and expansion of such Sanctuaries and National Parks?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI KAMAL NATH): (a) The total area under wildlife sanctuaries and national parks is reported to be 1,40,382 sq kms. It is however not possible to state precisely the total forest area declared as wildlife sanctuaries and national parks as many of them contain non-forest areas like villages, revenue lands, wetlands, oceans etc. with no survey and demarcation between forest and non-forest areas carried out in many cases.

(b) The Centrally sponsored/Central sector schemes under which assistance is provided to the State Governments for the protection, preservation and expansion of sanctuaries and national parks are as follows:-

(i) Project Tiger (for national parks and sanctuaries constituting Tiger Reserves.)

(ii) Assistance for the development of sanctuaries and national parks.

(iii) Ecodevelopment around national parks and sanctuaries, including Tiger Reserves.

(iv) Project Elephant (for sanctuaries and national parks consigning elephants).

(v) Beneficiary Oriented Scheme for Tribals (for the resettlement of tribals from inside national parks and sanctuaries.